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NAME THE SLACKERS

LIBERTY LOAN COMMITTEE MAKES PUBLIC ITS REPORT

"A DISAGREEABLE DUTY"

Action Follows Decision by Executive Board to Publish Names of Men Who Refuse to Do Their Part

In making public the names of slackers in the third Liberty Loan, the "equalization committee," composed of George Robb Ellison, H. W. Montgomery, and Charles Donlin, conclude their report as follows: "We have been sustained, in carrying the work through, by the reflection that with thousands of men giving up their homes, families, business and lives for their country, there is nothing debatable about the obligation resting on those of us who remain to do our part, and every man ought to be held to it."

The report follows a decision made by the executive committee during the campaign that the slacker or equalization committee investigate and report all cases brought to their attention of persons of known means neglecting or refusing to subscribe, or whose subscriptions were considered insufficient. The report follows:

To the Third Liberty Loan Committee of Nodaway County:

Gentlemen: In obedience to your resolution passed at the time of our appointment during your meeting in Maryville on April 25, we, the undersigned members of your equalization committee, beg leave to submit the following report:

As soon as possible after our appointment we wrote a letter to each of the persons whose names were referred to us. In all, something over one hundred letters were sent out, and only two were returned undelivered because of incorrect address.

We are gratified to be able to say that in the great majority of cases our letters brought a prompt response. In some instances we found the parties had intended subscribing before the campaign's close and simply had delayed action through neglect or while waiting the consummation of some financial arrangement; in other instances persons had been overlooked by the solicitors, or had not realized the magnitude of their obligation; in a few cases we found persons had been rated too high by the county committee and that they really had made a subscription measuring up to the average for persons in their circumstances—these cases were rare, however, as the county committee estimates were almost uniformly dependable.

The cases with which we wish to deal in this report are those of persons noted and referred to us (1) as having wholly failed to subscribe when able to do so, or (2) as having made a small subscription when well able to make a substantial one and when the average subscription for persons of the same or even more limited means was noticeably larger.

Though the whole task has been a very painful one, and one which we should shrink from undertaking if we did not feel it a patriotic duty to serve, the first class of cases men-

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TO-NIGHT
CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Eight Thirty
BABY MARIE OSBORNE, in
When Baby Forgot
also
"The Retreat of the Huns"
Ten and Fifteen cents

Notice to Normal Students
DON'T FORGET
"23" Jitney Station
will handle all baggage in connection with their jitney business. GIVE US A CALL.

OUR RED CROSS FINANCES

Financial Statement of the Condition of the Nodaway County Chapter for Past Four Months

The following financial statement of the condition of the Nodaway county chapter of the Red Cross is made public by Paul Sisson, treasurer, and embraces the period from January 1, 1918, to April 30, 1918, four months:

RECEIPTS.

To credit General Fund, January 1, 1918	$ 3,987.58
To credit Relief Fund	3.00
Annual dues collected..(423)	423.00
Subscribing dues col...(56)	112.00
Contributing dues col...(52)	260.00
Sustaining dues col....(19)	190.00
Life dues collected....(11)	275.00
Patron dues collected..(1)	100.00
Miscellaneous income	13,958.84
Sale of Red Cross Christmas Cards	19.95
Sale of Military Relief supplies to branches	3,262.31
Total Receipts	$22,591.63

DISBURSEMENTS.

Remittances to Southwestern Division, American National Red Cross, their proportion of—	
Annual dues col.....(423)..	$ 211.50
Subscribing dues col. (56)..	81.00
Contributing dues col.(53)..	159.00
Sustaining dues col. (19)..	133.00
Life dues col.....(11)..	275.00
Patron dues col.....(1)..	100.00
	$ 959.50
Rent, heat and light	26.90
Salaries and wages	190.00
Postage, stationery and printing	72.17
Telephone, telegraph and cable	20.95
Cost of instruction classes	66.53
Cost of Red Cross Buttons and Insignia	1.90
Miscellaneous expenses	82.34
Expenditures for military relief supplies	12,116.78
Expenditures for equipment of Red Cross units	492.21
Expenditures for Home Service section	9.82
Total Disbursements,	$14,339.12
From total receipts	$22,591.01
Deduct total disbursements	14,339.12
Leaves Balance	$ 8,252.51

ASSETS.

Cash in bank to credit of chapter	$2,862.61
Funds in hands of branches, auxiliaries, home service section and chapter secretary	5,389.90
	$8,252.51

LIABILITIES.

To credit of General Fund	$7,909.01
To credit of Relief Fund	343.50
	$8,252.51

Note. Since May 1 the Chapter has paid items chargeable to the General Fund, $43.67, and to the Relief Fund, $2,014.41. Total $2,058.08, leaving cash on hand in bank to credit of Chapter this date, $804.53.

The above report is correct.

PAUL SISSON,
Treasurer.

May 18, 1918.

TO LEAVE SATURDAY MORNING

Biggest Draft Quota Ordered to Entrain On Regular Burlington Train For Camp Dodge

Next Saturday will bring one of the largest crowds to Maryville that has gathered for a long time, relatives and friends of the eighty-nine draft men who will enter service entraining for Camp Dodge. The railroad schedule received by the draft board orders that they report on Saturday morning to take the regular north bound Burlington train at 11:52 going to Des Moines, thence by interurban to Camp Dodge.

It is expected that as this is the largest contingent to leave Maryville plans will be made for a public demonstration in their honor. It is suggested that the Home Guard and Boy Scouts provide an escort to the train. Heads of both organizations express their willingness to take up the suggestion.

FOUR CONVENTIONS

SUNDAY SCHOOLS IN FOUR TOWNSHIPS HOLD MEETINGS

OFFICERS ARE ELECTED

County Workers Aided In Organizations at Barnard, Hopkins, Pickering and Burlington Junction

An enthusiastic audience greeted the Sunday school workers who attended the Grant township Sunday school convention at Barnard Sunday afternoon. A fine musical program was given by the local Sunday school workers, consisting of selections by a quartette composed of John Fields, Prof. Pierce, Courtly Phillips and Mr. Seevers, and a duet by Misses Lucile Cole and Janice Badger, and a solo by Benman Roclofson. The Nodaway county officers who attended were Prof. Bert Cooper, Mrs. I. E. Tulloch and R. C. Seal. The following officers were elected:

President, Roy E. Cook; vice president, G. H. Hargrave; secretary, Miss Eulah Pearce; treasurer, Geo. Cole; elementary supt., Blanche Stalling; secondary supt., Miss Jennie Beattie; adult and home supt., Lloyd Strader; administration supt., Robert Strader. Of the three Sunday schools of this township one is a 100 per cent school and the other two are 90 per cent Sunday schools.

The Hopkins township convention was well attended and a fine program of special music was given by local talent, the following Nodaway county workers attending: G. B. Roseberry, and Miss Julia Denny. The officers for the new year are: President, Rev. R. R. Watt; vice president, C. S. Evans; secretary, Miss Frankie Applegate; treasurer, Mrs. Oliver Young; elementary supt., Miss Myrtle Mahan; secondary supt., Miss Cleo Kime; adult and home supt., Dr. E. A. Miller; administration supt., Mrs. D. A. Sargent.

At Elmo another fine convention was held by O. G. Null of Pickering and Miss Iva Vance of Burlington Junction, the following officers being elected: President, Leonard Yaple; vice president, E. R. Alexander, secretary, Miss Della Humphrey; treasurer, Z. T. Vansickle; elementary supt., Mrs. Carl Shelton; secondary supt., Mrs. Roy Pruitt; adult and home supt., Basil Livengood; administration supt., S. G. Williamson.

Some fine musical numbers were a feature of the program at Burlington Junction; a solo by Miss Madge West was especially fine, and also a quartette composed of Mrs. O. A. Lincoln, Miss Bessie Schmauder, Mrs. Fred Greenelsh and Mrs. Chas. Ferguson, was much appreciated by the audience.

The following officers were elected: President, T. A. Corken; vice president, Clyde Shadduck; secretary and treasurer, Herschel Houston; elementary supt., Miss Iva Vance; secondary supt., Mrs. O. A. Lincoln; adult and home supt., Miss Alice Peters; administration supt., J. W. Praiswater. Miss Eva M. Davis and Prof. Lewis of Maryville attended.

Red Cross Needs Your Dollars

MESSAGE FROM FRED LAWSON

A Maryville Boy On His Way to Fight For the Cause

The following letter was picked up on the Burlington tracks last Saturday evening just after a troop train had passed through Maryville:

May 17.

"Dear Friends: Here is a line from a Maryville lad. This is my home town, and I will drop this off and let you all know that I am going to fight for the cause, and you, friends, please drop me a line. Also tell Mattie Clayton and Thelma Culverson, 'hello'. This address will follow me: Fred Lawson, Co. E, 351st Inft., Camp Dodge, Iowa.-'

The letter was picked up by Steve Donahue of the Independent Oil Co. The troop train with fifteen coaches filled with soldiers passed through about 7:30 o'clock

LITTLE CHILD HIT BY AUTO

Callistea Mae Miller Seriously Hurt Sunday Evening by Car Driven by Miss Mildred Shinabargar

Callistea Mae Miller, the little five year old daughter of Mrs. A. D. Saunders, living on East Second street was struck by an automobile driven by Miss Mildred Shinabargar late yesterday evening, and suctained injuries which may prove fatal. The accident occurred in front of the Saunders home. The child had started to cross the street, when the car coming west, struck her and knocked her down, the wheels passing over her body. She was at once removed to her home and physicians summoned. No bones were broken, but serious internal injuries were sustained. At a late hour today the attending physicians said symptoms were slightly improved.

In the car with Miss Shinabargar at the time of the accident were her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Shinabargar, Mr. W. H. Allen and Miss Keef.

TO REGISTER JUNE 5

INSTRUCTIONS HERE FOR MEN WHO HAVE REACHED DRAFT AGE

FEW CHANGES IN RULES

All Registrants Required to Register at Office of Draft Board—Assignment of Order Numbers

President Signs Bill.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, May 20.—The bill calling to the colors all young men who have reached twenty-one since last registration day was signed by President Wilson today.

The registration June 5 of men 21 years old between June 5, 1917, and June 5, 1918, for selective draft service is outlined in instructions received by the local draft board from J. H. McCord, administrative officer of the selective draft for Missouri.

There are few radical changes in the new regulations. Changes are made in the method of registration of absentees and in the assignment of order numbers.

Supply Absentees With Blanks.

Supplies of blanks have not been received by the local board. Upon arrival of the blanks it will become their duty to deliver to every absentee —that is, men away from their permanent residence — upon request, a complete set of registration blanks and to assist him in answering the questions. His completed registration blanks will be given to him, the responsibility of their reaching the local board of his permanent address falling on him. They should be mailed at the earliest possible moment, the instructions advise, with a stamped return envelope for the board to mail him his certificate of registration, such as was given in the first registration.

All men eligible for registration are required to register at the office of the draft board at Maryville.

Local boards are responsible for the registration of sick persons, being required to go to their homes with the blanks.

Office open Fourteen Hours.

The registration office will be open from 7 o'clock in the morning to 9 o'clock at night.

Immediately after registration day local boards and registrars will number each registration card in the order of registration.

Method of assignment of order numbers liability for service has not been announced definitely. However, it has been intimated from Washington the new registrants will be placed at the bottom of the list of their respective classes.

Questionnaires, such as formerly were used, will be mailed to registrants within ten days after registration. Existing regulations apply to the classification of the new registrants.

Red Cross Needs Your Dollars

ALL READY-ARE YOU?

RED CROSS DRIVE FOR WAR FUND STARTED THIS MORNING

GIVE ALL THAT YOU CAN

Every Dollar Contributed Goes For War Relief, 25 Per Cent Remaining In This Community

The campaign to raise Nodaway county's quota of the $100,000,000 Red Cross war fund which is asked of the people of the United States started this morning. The workers in practically every district in the county have been named and many of them are already at work.

The call of the Red Cross this week is to Americans. The response will show who are Americans and who are not. It isn't an invitation to that form of patriotism which graciously consents to lend money to the government at 4¼ per cent interest. It is a call to give, and again to give and without end to give, and no money interest is promised.

Every dollar contributed in Nodaway county goes for war relief and 25 per cent of the amount subscribed remains in this community to finance the various Red Cross activities and carry on relief work in this community. A world of it is done of which no public mention ever is made and at the close of the year an accurate statement showing disbursements and expenditures of this fund is made. Seventy-five per cent of the fund subscribed in America goes for relief work abroad.

Tomorrow night at the Christian church Major L. Gordon Sanford of the Royal Field Artillery, twice mentioned for bravery in dispatches from General Haig, and who also received the war cross from King George, will speak in the interest of the drive. If you want to hear a thrilling story of the work of the Red Cross on the battle lines, it is urged that you hear Major Gordon. He served three years until wounded the second time, when he was forced to retire. He participated in most of the battles fought in 1915, 1916 and 1917.

The following young women, named by A. S. Robey, chairman for the second ward, will canvass this ward:

Miss Grace Ferritor—All north of Third and south of Fifth and west of Main to Mulberry.

Mrs. Guy Bent—All north of Fifth and south of Seventh and west of Main to Mulberry.

Miss Lela Maier—All north of Seventh and south of Ninth and west of Main to Mulberry.

Miss Marie Cox—All north of Ninth and south of Eleventh and west of Main to Mulberry.

Miss Arlie Hulet — All north of Eleventh and south of Twelfth and west of Main to Mulberry.

Miss Wave Hulet and Miss Dale Hulet—All north of Twelfth and west of Main and east of Mulberry to city limits.

Miss Nell Hudson — All north of Third and south of Fourth and west of Mulberry to city limits.

Miss Virginia Lawson—All north of Fourth and south of Sixth and west of Mulberry to city limits.

Miss Blanche Landfather—All north of Sixth and south of Ninth and west of Mulberry to city limits.

Miss Jessie Fannon—All north of Ninth and south of Twelfth and west of Mulberry to city limits.

Miss Janette Mutz — All north of Twelfth and west of Mulberry to city limits.

Red Cross Needs Your Dollars

Mrs. Smiley Here.

Mrs. Phil Smiley of Los Angeles, Cal., arrived Saturday night to spend several weeks with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. F. M. Martin, and with Mr. Smiley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Smiley.

Mrs. Dave Seckington and Miss Maggie Seckington left Friday for Camp Funston, where they visited over Sunday with Mrs. Seckington's husband.

BADLY BURNED IN ACCIDENT

Wellington Dusenberry, Manager of the Water Plant, Gets Bad Burns From a High Voltage Wire

The fact that Wellington Dusenberry, manager of the water plant, had one foot on a board when he started this morning to aid in removing a drill from one of the sand points near the pump station, probably saved his life. He sustained burns from the drill coming in contact with a high voltage wire that will keep him confined to his room for some time, the accident occuring this morning about ten o'clock and is one of the most peculiar on record.

Mr. Dusenberry, in company with Charles Chaney, was pulling the drill from the sand and failed to note that just overhead was a high voltage service line. Chaney stood on a board while pulling up on the drill, while Mr. Dusenberry stood with one foot on the board and the other on the ground, the ground being covered with cinders, making a good conductor. When the drill hit the wire Mr. Dusenberry was knocked unconscious. A physician was called immediately and restoratives were applied. It was found that his right foot was severely burned, small burns appearing also on his hands. He was removed to his home at 222 South Market street shortly before noon, where he is reported resting easily this afternoon. Chaney was not injured.

MUST NOT PASTURE WHEAT

Arkoe Farmer Is Ordered to Discontinue the Practice by Government Food Administration

With the government guarding the wheat supply and the coming crop day and night to insure there being plenty for the people of the United States and to give the Allies a goodly supply, pasturing wheat by farmers is meeting with disapprobation from the government.

At least one instance of the protection that is being sought by the government for wheat has been noted in Nodaway county when Sam Corrough, living near Arkoe, was ordered by the food administration to discontinue the pasturing of wheat. The fact that Mr. Corrough was doing this was brought to the attention of county food administrator, F. P. Robinson, who at once took the matter up with Dean Mumford resulting in Mr. Robinson receiving an order to see that it was stopped at once.

Mr. Corrough, the food administrator says, complied with the order and removed his stock, claiming that as it was his usual custom, he thought nothing of it.

45 TODAY'S CASUALTY LIST

Seven Were Killed In Action Over-seas —Twenty-seven Were Severely Wounded

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, May 20. — Forty-five names were on the casualty list overseas announced today. Seven were killed in action, one died of wounds, one from accident, seven of disease. Twenty-seven were severely wounded and two slightly wounded.

11 BILLIONS FOR THE ARMY

Congress Made Ready Today to Put Through the Biggest War Appropriation Measure Yet Passed

Washington, May 20.—After months of passing war measures of various importance the house made ready to put through a real one today. It was the eleven billion dollars army appropriation bill providing for an army of three million and a fleet of seventy-five aero squadrons to be put into action during the next twelve months.

ALLIES SMASH BALKAN FRONT

FRENCH AND ITALIAN TROOPS MADE AN ADVANCE OF THIRTEEN MILES IN ALBANIA

37 KILLED, 150 INJURED IN RAID OVER LONDON

In the Hangard Region On the Picardy Front the French Penetrated the Third Line Enemy Trenches Taking Some Prisoners

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Paris, May 20.—A thirteen-mile advance for the French and Italian troops fighting on the Balkan front is reported by the French war office. The fighting took place in wild mountain fastnesses in southern Albania near Lake Ochrdia and was completly successful in wiping out an enemy salient.

Paris, May 20.—Artillery duelling has become more violent in the region of Hangard, the war office reported today. Northwest of Rheims the French penetrated the third line trenches of the enemy, where they destroyed the military works and captured some prisoners.

London, May 20.—Twenty-five persons were killed and forty-seven were injured when Cologne was bombed by Allied airplanes, said a Central News dispatch today from Amsterdam. The bombs fell on the heart of the city and much damage was done. The populace were panic-stricken.

London, May 20.—"We captured a few prisoners as a result of a successful raid carried out in the sector of Albert on Sunday," the British war office stated today. The hostile artillery increased considerably during the night on the Albert-Bucquoy front.

London, May 20.—Four German airplanes were shot down last night during an attempted sky raid on a large scale against London and the southeastern coast, it was officially announced today. Thirty-seven were killed and 150 were injured in the air raid.

American Army in France, May 20. —Major Raoul Lufberry Wallingford of Connecticut, credited with eighteen German airplanes, was killed Sunday over the Toul sector in combat with a German three-seater machine.

QUIET IN IRELAND AGAIN.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

London, May 20.—Ireland is quiet over the week-end following the revolution and the pro-German plot and the arrest of many Sinn Feiners, according to advices today.

Red Cross Needs Your Dollars

TUESDAY
CUT MEAT
WHEATLESS
USE NO BREAD CRACKERS, PASTRY OR BREAKFAST FOODS CONTAINING WHEAT

THE WEATHER

Unsettled tonight and Tuesday; probable showers, not much change in temperature.

Feature Tonight
Empire Theatre
11 and 17 cents

Paramount Pictures, with
SESSUE HAYAKAWA
The brilliant Japanese actor, in
The Call of The East
A tale of Oriental romance, mystery and vindication.
Tomorrow, "THE OTHER MAN."

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ARE YOU STILL GIVING?

If for some reason you think you are unable to give to the second Red Cross fund, read the following article from "The Greatest Mother In the World" by Francis I. Bennett:

"True, you have bought Liberty Bonds and War Savings stamps and have already contributed all you can spare to the Red Cross; the cost of living is terribly high and you don't know where all this expense is going to lead you. But you haven't given enough! You must give, give, give—more and more, because if you're not Suffering, you're not Fighting. It's your war, and if you're not fighting, you are letting someone do it for you.

"You are offered the chance to fight sitting in your arm chair. You are not asked to give to the Red Cross standing up to your knees in half-frozen mud with death-laden steel showering about you. Your clothes are dry and clean, and you have a comfortable room and a real bed to sleep in, and no matter how much you give, the soldier or sailor is giving more—even excepting these ever-present hazards to life and health. He is, besides, giving his time, his business opportunity, his association with family and friends. And remember, there is no such thing as a passive patriotism. Patriotism which does not act is not patriotism. It must be vitalized to be real and a contribution to the Red Cross is its natural act and concrete fulfillment."

And after reading the above, if you have the blood of a real American coursing through your veins you will be unable to refuse the request of the committee that will call on you for your donation to this great cause.

Red Cross Needs Your Dollars

SHAVELESS AND BARBERLESS MONDAYS LATEST NOVELTY.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Wayne, Pa., May 20.—To help the Government, Philip De Marse, a local barber, has instituted a "shaveless Monday," and a "barberless Monday." He inserted the following ad in the newspaper: "Owing to present conditions it is impossible for me to secure an assistant. I am willing to accommodate my patrons at all hours with the following exceptions: Closed all day Monday for gardening. Closed Thursday 6 p. m. for Company B."

DESPITE LAW, PUPILS TEAR KAISER'S PHOTO FROM BOOKS.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Leavenworth, Kan., May 20. — A Leavenworth teacher who has a fourth grade class, is the idol of the boys of the town. The other day, during her geography class, a picture of the kaiser was found in the book.

The boys openly tore out the offending page with the picture of Kaiser Wilhelm. The girls, more timid, pasted paper over his face. The teacher smiled and let it go.

There is a state law in Kansas about destroying public school books.

CHICHESTER S PILLS

THE DIAMOND BRAND.
Ladies! Ask your Druggist for Chi-ches-ter's Diamond Brand Pills in Red and Gold metallic boxes, sealed with Blue Ribbon. Take no other. Buy of your Druggist. Ask for CHI-CHES-TER'S DIAMOND BRAND PILLS, for 25 years known as Best, Safest, Always Reliable

SOLD BY DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE

Red Cross News From Nodaway Auxiliaries

MRS ARTHUR M. CROOKE
Phone, Hanamio 4C6

(Note:—Please report or send all news of Red Cross Activities to the editor of this column)

Calendar.

MONDAY—
Mission Circle Auxiliary.
Baptist Auxiliary.
I. X. L. Auxiliary.
MONDAY NIGHT—
Woodman Circle Auxiliary.
TUESDAY—
M. I. Circle Auxiliary.
Christian Church Auxiliary.
W. R. C. Auxiliary.
Lincoln Auxiliary.
TUESDAY NIGHT—
Alderman-Yehle Auxiliary.
Westminster Guild Auxiliary.
WEDNESDAY—
Shakespeare Auxiliary.
Hospital Auxiliary.
THURSDAY—
First M. E. Church Auxiliary.
Methodist Missionary Society Auxiliary.
Lincoln Auxiliary.
FRIDAY—
D. A. R. Auxiliary.
South Methodist Auxiliary.
Lincoln Auxiliary.
FRIDAY NIGHT—
Evening Auxiliary.
Baptist Auxiliary.
SATURDAY—
P. E. O. Auxiliary.

Branches and auxiliaries in sending shipments are asked to pack surgical dressings and garments and knitted goods in separate boxes; dressings in one and garments and knitted goods in another. Be sure a list accompanies each box.

Anyone wishing to make property bags will be furnished a pattern by applying to chapter headquarters.

The chairman of the surgical dressings department wishes to state through this column that the rule for covering the hair and wearing an apron when working in a surgical dressings workshop is one that admits of no exceptions. The apron should be white, but a clean, large apron of light material will be permitted. The covering for the hair is a 27-inch piece of white lawn or other thin material with a 1-inch hem all around. Less than a yard of material is needed for this. Hats will not be permitted and any chairman who finds a worker not willing to remove her hat will give her other work than the making of surgical dressings. Aprons may be purchased at the local stores. Why not get the regulation apron and cap and give your workroom the uniform appearance that makes it most attractive? But more than that — it makes it sanitary and safe for the boys who will need these dressings. One small hair that might work into a wound and cause needless pain could never be the fault of the worker who wears her coif to cover her hair regardless of its unbecomingness.

In order that credit may be given those who are doing Red Cross work, the following women have worked at headquarters this week:

Every day—Mrs. Geo. P. Bellows, Miss Hattie Pierce.

Five days—Mrs. A. M. Crooke.

Three days—Mrs. M. J. Alderman, Mrs. Ed G. Orear.

Two days—Miss May Orear.

One day—

Baptist auxiliary—Miss Oral Helwig, instructor; Mesdames M. J. Alderman, G. B. Holmes, W. A. Burris, Kramer, Tebow, Ella Zwelling, Miss Katherine Helwig, Lillian Zwelling.

Christian church auxiliary—Mrs. Ed Gray, instructor; Mesdames Frank Green, L. J. Talbot, F. T. McPherron, Torrance, Rathbun, S. A. Muse, J. R. Brink, Geo. Wallace, O. W. Swinford, Newt Hagins, W. C. Frank, E. J. Rhodes, J. J. Heifner, C. E. Miller.

Mission Circle—Mrs. Frank Green, instructor; Mesdames E. G. Cook, A. M. Gray, Grabb, A. N. Somerville, J. R. Braniger, Dick Strong, C. C. Helmers, Albert Mercer, J. D. Richey, Strong, G. B. Roseberry, Peterman, Geo. Stafford, Gilbert.

Presbyterian—Mrs. Hal Hooker, instructor; Mesdames Casteel, R. Gross, E. Airy, S. A. McClurg, Fred Fehr, S. G. Gillam, T. J. Hurley, Winfield Scott, Chas. Wadley, M. Stokes, W. W. Turner, E. Sawyer.

Westminster Guild—Mrs. Dr. Turner, instructor; Mesdames Winston, White, Gross, Wells, Anna McNellis, Neva Sage, Neva Birgaman, N. L. Ritze, Airy, D. Etchison, Dessa Gault, Ora Eckles, S. A. Coile, S. A. McClurg.

Woman's Relief Corps—Mrs. A. M. Crooke, instructor; Mesdames Eckert, Lillian Zwelling, Ella Zwelling, Peter Groppe, Rebecca Brink, A. M. Trueblood, Haist, S. E. Slates, Mary Gault, Dora Etchison, R. S. Braniger, Onley, Hopper, J. E. O'Neal, Hook.

Hospital — Mrs. Marvin Peery, instructor; Mesdames Henry Westfall, E. A. Sawyer, Dessa Gault, C. C. Myers, Winfield Scott, Gray, W. R. Smiley, J. C. Allender, Ed Keck, W. A. Rickenbrode, Mike Lahr, Tony Bluel, Ben Chandler, Gus Romasser, R. P. Hosmer.

Shakespeare—Mrs. Chamberlain instructor; Mesdames Oman, Markham, A. F. Burris, J. S. Ford, H. A. Foster, W. C. Pierce.

First Methodist—Miss Ruth Montgomery, instructor; Mesdames J. F. Montgomery, S. E. Slates, C. C. Corwin, Sarah Wilson, Emma Eckles, John Bantz, S. A. Muse, Chas. Gaugh, Geo. Moore, Humphrey Lyle, G. W. Stiwalt.

Alderman-Yehle—Mrs. M. J. Alderman, instructor; L. B. Tracy, Florence Anderson, McDonald, Meuse, Vada Foland, Gertrude Condon, Hilda Lahr, Kate Yehle, Agatha Kirch, Addie Yeo, Gaugh, S. R. Beech, Lawler, Blanche Lawler, Otis Shipps, L. A. Alkire, Mary Grems.

Royal Neighbors—Mrs. A. M. Crooke, instructor; Mesdames Fred Diss, Maggie Dougan, W. R. Tilson, Moon, Tony Bluel, Maggie Lahr, Hattie Wallace.

Methodist Missionary — Miss Bess Cernutt, instructor; Mesdames Ida Barton, R. C. Cornelius, Geo. B. Baker, Tom Wadley, Ed Wolfers, D. N. Scott, Will Smith, James Herndon, Guy Haller, May Shipps, Ruth Matter.

P. E. O.—Mrs. Will Montgomery, instructor; Mesdames T. Wilderman, Hanna, Compton, Allender, Bessie Symonds, Mary Q. Evans.

M. E. South—Mrs. Dale, instructor; Mesdames M. A. Peery, R. M. Barry, John Campbell, J. H. Thorp, M. A. Farrar, R. G. Allen, Conner, R. E. Green, E. E. Tilton, N. F. Humber, I. E. Tulloch, T. L. Wilderman, J. A. Clark, Alice Peery.

Three auxiliaries failed to turn in a list of names of workers. Instructors are asked to report a list of auxiliary workers to the secretary after the class has finished.

The shipment sent to divisional headquarters last week consisted of 9,629 surgical dressings.

The following auxiliaries made shipments last week:

Rebekah, Wilcox — 275 wipes, 775 gauze dressings. Twenty-four were present. Miss May Orear, instructor.

Parnell—275 wipes, 170 many-tailed bandages, 68 split irrigation pads.

H. K. G.—Four dozen hospital garments.

Centenary—150 wipes, 20 triangulars, 10 many-tailed bandages. Twelve were present.

I. I.—200 2x2 wipes, 100 shot bags, 8 split irrigation pads. Thirteen workers present.

Elmo — 25 triangulars, 225 wipes. Nineteen workers were present.

Ladies Intellectual—44 triangulars. Mrs. W. L. Robb, Hopkins, instructor. Twelve workers were present.

Hopeful Workers, Palestine — Mrs. Prince Trapp and Mrs. Harlan Swank of Graham, instructors—24 split irrigation pads and one pair bed socks. Thirty-two workers were present.

Quitman—7 hospital quilts, 600 gun wipes.

Loyal, Burlington Junction — 80 slings, 10 triangulars, 7 split irrigation pads.

Methodist Missionary—60 12x24 absorbent pads, 350 2x2 wipes.

Mt. Pleasant—162 8x4 compresses, 68 gauze wipes, 11 hospital shirts, 1 sweater and 1 pair of socks. Fourteen were present.

First M. E. Church—58 12x24 pads, 175 2x2 wipes.

Mutual — Arvella Staples, instructor; 4 hospital quilts, 11 baby quilts, 2 pillows, 4 pillow cases, 1 comfort pillow and case, 85 many-tailed bandages, 5 triangulars.

White Cloud—Mrs. Chas. Rice, instructor; 300 wipes, 30 slings.

Community Workers, Arkoe—Mrs. A. M. Crooke, instructor; 87 slings 575 gauze wipes.

W. R. C.—79 slings, 16 many-tailed bandages.

"When the women of America realize that nothing in the world counts but the winning of this war—it is won You women, who are natural born hoarders, give up that precious little pile of savings, so painfully accumulated. The American Red Cross needs millions of dollars. There are women who will say they have knitted, endlessly; they have rolled bandages; made dressings; sold Liberty Bonds; conserved food; given up luxuries. It is not enough if you are not willing to offer up at least a part of your secret hoard. If you cannot give it all, give part. Give it to America so you will not have to give it to Germany. Give it though it hurts. No matter what the need for which you have saved, it is not a millionth part so pressing as the need of the Red Cross. It is this spring when the fathers and brothers and sons of America will go over the top into the actual fight, that that little hoard of dollars saved by the women workers and women householders of this country will be needed. It's easy to argue that your solitary dollar doesn't count, and can't help. But it can. It does. The population of the United States is one hundred million. If every one of these souls contributes one dollar, the Red Cross million-dollar drive would be won in a day. That's how much your dollar counts. The Red Cross is more than an organization. It is a religion. It is life."—From Edna Ferber's article in the May Red Cross Magazine, "Dig—A Call to Women," this paragraph was taken.

About $30 was cleared at an ice cream social held last Friday night at the rGand View school near Parnell. This money will go to the Red Cross fund.

Forum-ettes

If money talks, the Red Cross ought to be yelling loudly this week.

England ought to be thankful for the fact that she will not have to go to the trouble of teaching the Irish how to fight after she conscripts them.

We wonder what has become of the old-fashioned girl who wore silk skirts because they made such a delightful rustle when she walked.

As a peace tribunal the divorce court seems to be about the only institution that is working these days.

Talk has always been regarded as pretty cheap, but it is going to prove mighty expensive under the espionage act for the fellow who does not think right about the war.

Many an honest man is only a liar with a good memory.

The easier it is to convert a man in a revival meeting, the oftener it has to be done.

It is all right to believe that the Lord will provide, but some people seem to think He ought to also brush up the crumbs and sweep the kitchen floor after the meal.

The open season for suckers is never closed.

Farmers refuse to believe that the people in the city have to work hard for a living.

And then there are lots of men who can talk more rapidly than they can think.

There is this in favor of democracy: All the world wants it and is fighting for it.

Red Cross Needs Your Dollars

JUST ANOTHER GERMAN LIE

Food Administration Nails the Story That Interned Huns Are Being Fed On Whole Wheat Bread

The treatment of interned Germans in the United States is now being used by German propagandists in an effort to create unrest and dissatisfaction among the American people and the food administration has made an official denial of this in a bulletin of May 10.

These propagandists are endeavoring to create the impression that interned Germans are being fed on the fat of the land; that while Americans are asked to save wheat the Germans are being fed on white bread, pastries and cakes made largely of wheat. Their campaign has been largely directed to the rural districts and in some sections has aroused more or less dissatisfaction. There is no truth whatever in such rumors and no ground for the rumor that food is being wasted. All civilian German prisoners are subject to and being made to observe all rules and regulations of the food administration. Their consumption per capita of wheat is one and one-half pounds per week.

The prisoners of war receive the regular garrison rations of the United States army.

Food wastage at army camps, if it ever existed, is a thing of the past, is another statement in the bulletin in denial of rumors to that effect which have spread over the country. Scores of letters have come to the war department and the food administration telling of alleged prodigal waste of foodstuffs. Each one has been the basis for an investigation and each has shown that the report was based on hearsay and absolutely without foundation.

ON GUARD

At this time of the year people feel weak, tired, listless, their blood is thin, they have lived indoors and perhaps expended all their mental and bodily energy and they want to know how to renew their energy and stamina, overcome headaches and backaches, have clear eyes, a smooth, ruddy skin, and feel the exhilaration of real good health tingling thru their body. Good, pure, rich, red blood is the best insurance against ills of all kinds. Almost all diseases come from impure and impoverished blood. It is to be noticed in the pale or pimply face, the tired, haggard appearance or the listless manner.

Drink hot water a half hour before meals, and for a vegetable tonic there's nothing better than Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, the old-fashioned herbal remedy, which has had such a fine reputation for fifty years. It contains no alcohol or narcotics. It is made from Golden Seal root, Blood-root, Oregon grape root, Queen's root, Black Cherry bark, extracted with glycerine and made into tablets and liquid. Tablets sixty cents, at most drug stores.

In order to insure pure blood and to build up the system try this tonic known as Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. Get it now!

These Items

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Tuesday and Wednesday

(One Delivery Daily)
Trucks Leave Store 8 a.m.

Townsend's

North Side Cash Grocers.

New Red Triumph potatoes, peck 50c
1 tall can (16 oz net) any brand milk 11c
Loose Muscatel raisins, per lb 10c
Extra fancy sweet wrinkled peas, can 14c
2 lbs Santa Clara sweet prunes 25c
Sun Maid raisins, 15 oz. pkgs seeded 13c
Karo Syrup 1½ lb can (amber color) 11c
New Southern cabbage, lb ..5c
Green beans, 2 lbs. 25c

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* We carry complete assortment fresh fruits and vegetables. Prices always lowest. *
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Pic Nic hams (sugar cured) lb 24c
1 lb pkgs Dunham's best cocoanut 33c
Large dill pickles, 1c each, gallon 50c
2 large jars pure apple butter 25c
No. 2 cans choice blackberries 15c
Goblin toilet soap, 5c, doz. 55c
Troco, lb 33c, 2 for 65c, 3 for 95c
25c pkgs Life of Wheat, 3 for 50c
Grape Nuts, 2 for 25c
Choice old potatoes, bu. ..$1.00
Mary Jane, gal 75c; ½ gal 40c can 15c (mixture of sorghum, corn syrup and New Orleans molasses) fine for table use or baking.
Red beans (ready to serve) No. 2 cans 10c
Pork and beans in tomato sauce (small) 2 cans 15c
Van Camp's pork and beans, No. 1 cans 11c
Half dozen cans fancy sugar corn 65c
Half dozen cans solid pack tomatoes 55c
Half dozen cans choice sweet potatoes 85c
White laundry soaps, regular sized bars 5c
Bulk Wheat Flakes, lb 10c
White Rolled Oats, 14 lbs $1.00
Bayles best prepared mustard, 9 oz. glass jars 9c
Walter Baker's ground sweet chocolate, ½ lb can 15c
Kraft Pimento cheese, can 20c
Potted meats, 4 cans 25c
Jello (has advanced to 15c) buy in this sale at 10c
40c chocolate cream candy, per lb 29c
Jumbo blanched peanuts, per lb 30c
Best salted peanuts, per lb 20c
Tango Ice Tea Blend, ½ lb 35c
5 lb caddy fancy Moyune gunpowder tea $2.25

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Make The Garden Produce More

Set out better plants and select the best varieties. See our plants and become familiar with our varieties. Our prices are right, too.

Potted early tomato plants 35c per dozen, 3 dozen for $1.00. Transplanted (not untransplanted seedlings) early and main crop tomato plants 15c and 20c per dozen; $1.00 and $1.50 per hundred.

Tomato plants from seed bed 10c per dozen; 75c per 100.

Early Wakefield and Copenhagen market cabbage 10c per dozen, 75c per 100 (not transplanted).

Transplanted mango pepper and egg plants 25c per dozen, $2.00 per 100.

Red Bermuda, Southern Queen or White Brazil and Yellow Jersey sweet potato plants 75c per 100, $7.00 per 1000, 500 or more at 1000 rate. We recommend the red and white sweet potato plants as being the best. They are the best producers.

We deliver free to any address in Maryville. Phone and mail orders receive prompt and careful attention. Please add postage to all parcel post shipments. We make no extra charge for packing.

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We Wish to Announce

That Bonds of the Third Liberty Loan are now Ready for Delivery to all who have subscribed through this Bank and have paid for them in full.

Please call and get your Bonds.

—Nodaway Valley Bank

Gifts of Jewelry

We have a very handsome line of jewelry articles suitable for the graduate, the June bride or the soldier boy.

Some extra pretty lavilliers, broaches and pins.

One the best selections of rings you have ever seen—and at a special price, too.

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109 West Third Street

NAME THE SLACKERS

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tioned above has presented fewer difficulties than the second. Where a clean-cut case is presented of a man's having failed to subscribe, though able to do so, there would, at first thought, appear to be no difficulty in determining that he ought to be placed in the slacker class; and yet, even among these we found it necessary to take into consideration the mental attitude of the man, his habits of frugality or extravagance, his apparent loyalty to the government in the great war, or the lack of it, etc.

After considering the matter from every angle and giving—always—the benefit of the doubt to the citizen, we have concluded that out of the number of persons referred to us as having failed to subscribe, only the following should be reported back to you for persistence in that refusal:

Allen Duncan, Elmo.
Ozro M. Gray, Maryville.
S. J. Hopson, Burlington Junction.
Geo. W. Knobbs, Maryville.
Richard Neely, Barnard.
Joseph Norman, Clearmont.
Geo. W. Workman, Maryville.
Francis Workman, Maryville.
Samuel Yeager, Maryville.

Regarding the second class of persons referred to us, permit us to say it has proven a difficult, if not impossible task to determine whether a man made a large enough subscription where the case was at all close. In many cases the members of our committee entertained different opinions on this question, and it early became apparent to us that we ought to abide by the judgment of the subscriber as to his own ability to purchase bonds, if there was the slightest question about it. On the other hand, there were cases we could not honestly ignore, where the disparity between a man's subscription and his ability to subscribe was so glaring as to compel notice and unanimity of opinion as to the inadequacy of the subscription. In such cases we did not have, of course—and did not need to have—detailed information regarding the exact financial condition of the man. Our guiding star was simply the answer we found ourselves forced to make to this question: "If every man in Nodaway county of substantially the same means had bought no more bonds than this man, could we have raised our quota?"

The names we have felt constrained to report in this class are as follows:

J. E. Crawford, Burlington Jct.
J. F. Hackett, Burlington Jct.
L. R. Holt, Maryville.
F. E. James, Elmo.
David Lehmer, Maryville.
Samuel Moffatt, Barnard.
John McDowell, Graham.
H. E. Nicholas, Burlington Jct.
Henry Roach, Maryville.
A. A. Thummel, Parnell.
James Workman, Pickering.

We should add that the above are undoubtedly not all the persons in the county who failed to subscribe for Liberty Bonds when they should have done so, or who failed to subscribe as much as they should have subscribed, but it must be remembered we could act only in the cases referred to us, and also because, except in one or two instances, we were dependent on the county committee for information as to the cases requiring attention. It should also be stated that there were more than a few instances in which persons written to failed to make subscriptions in the amount we thought they ought to subscribe, and in some cases had asked them to subscribe, but, as stated before, we did not feel warranted in substituting our judgment for theirs unless the disparity were glaring.

We had to deal with a few cases in which women failed to do their duty in making a proper subscription. Some of them undoubtedly would have been put in both of the above classes if they had been men, but on account of their sex and their probable unfamiliarity with business, we gave them the benefit of the doubt, though they were more than comfortably situated, financially, in their own right. O., future bond issues the county committee should give directions as to the course to be pursued in such cases.

There were two or three exceptional cases which we passed over. In one, the man claimed the solicitor did not see him and that he did not receive our letter in time to subscribe. In another, a man who owned considerable land, incumbered, had only a very light income last year, was involved, and acted on the advice of others on whom he had a right to rely in refusing to increase his subscription. His attitude toward war activities generally was fairly good. It would take too much time and space to burden this report with all the details of these cases.

In conclusion we cannot refrain from saying that no public task we have ever undertaken has imposed more disagreeable duties than this. We have been sustained in carrying the work through by the reflection that with thousands of our men giving up their homes, families, business and lives for their country, there is nothing debatable about the obligation resting on those of us who remain to do our part, and every man ought to be held to it.

GEO. R. ELLISON,
H. W. MONTGOMERY,
CHAS. DONLIN,
Equalization Committee.

Red Cross Needs Your Dollars

ASK REMOVAL OF DISLOYALISTS.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Lincoln, May 20.—The removal of twelve professors from the faculty of the University of Nebraska on charges of disloyalty was demanded today by the state council of defense.

WILSON SIGNS OVERMAN BILL.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, May 20. — President Wilson signed the Overman bill under the provisions of which he is given almost unlimited power to reorganize the executive departments of the government.

Red Cross Needs Your Dollars

LYNCH FIVE NEGROES.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Valdosta, Ga., May 20.—Five negroes, including one woman have been lyncher for the murder of a white man thus far. Several others today in jail are strongly guarded against further violence.

Irvin D. Alkire, who visited over Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Alkire, returned this morning to Fort Des Moines, Ia.

J. Ferguson of Bolckow visited Sunday with his grandmother, Mrs. Mary Gibson.

James Tobin, who has been spending a fifteen day furlough at home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Tobin of Burlington Junction, returned yesterday to Camp Funston.

Red Cross Needs Your Dollars

Ross Scott of Camp Funston, who spent Sunday with relatives in Maryville returned last night to camp.

Oakley Colvin left this morning for Kansas City after a week's visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Colvin.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hartness north of Maryville announce the birth of a daughter, Mary Margaret, born Saturday, May 18.

FORGER GETS THREE YEARS

Henry Cooper Pleads Guilty In Circuit Court Today—A Companion Sentenced to Reform School

Henry Cooper, arrested at Burlington Junction recently, charged by C. B. Zarn of the Zarn Mercantile Co., with issuing a forged check, was arraigned before Judge John M. Dawson in circuit court today where he pleaded guilty to the charge and was given a sentence of three years in the state penitentiary. Rex Colwell, arrested at the same time, pleaded guilty to passing the check and was sentenced to three years in the state reformatory at Boonville. Young Colwell is under eighteen and being recommended for parole by a number of Burlington Junction residents, it was granted by Judge Dawson. He will be required to report to the court regularly.

Red Cross Needs Your Dollars

Married by Judge Robertson.

Albert E. Blake and Miss Francis Seka, both of Omaha, were married by Probate Judge Jesse Robertson in his chambers this afternoon. The young couple were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Goodwin, also of Omaha.

Red Cross Needs Your Dollars

More Teachers are Chosen.

Miss Cleo Herndon has been chosen as teacher in the grammar room at the Quitman school and Miss Hazel Davidson has been employed to teach at Hazel Dell school, near Clearmont.

Red Cross Needs Your Dollars

Marriage Licenses.

The following were issued a marriage license today:

Wesley F. Irven of Coin, Ia., and Ollie Malley of Elmo.

Red Cross Needs Your Dollars

STILL HUNT FOR DEAD.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Pittsburg, May 20.—The rescuers are still combing the smoking ruins of the Aetna Chemical Company plant which blew up Saturday. Seventy-five men are known to have been killed, thirty-one are missing, and ninety were injured, several of whom will probably die.

Red Cross Needs Your Dollars

TORNADO IN NEBRASKA KILLS 12.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Omaha, Neb., May 20.—Twelve were killed and twenty-five injured in a tornado at Bloomfield, Nebr., Saturday night, according to word reaching here today.

Red Cross Needs Your Dollars

MAJ. MARCH, CHIEF OF STAFF.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, May 20.—The nomination of Major General Peyton C. March, acting chief of the staff, to be full general and of General Tasker H. Bliss, chief of the staff, to be brevet general, were sent to the senate by President Wilson this afternoon.

Red Cross Needs Your Dollars

ANOTHER AMERICAN SHIP LOST.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, May 20.—A small cargo vessel formerly an American merchant liner, has been lost, presumably torpedoed, it was learned today. The name was withheld. One life was lost.

Red Cross Needs Your Dollars

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Reavis and children are spending a few days in Parnell at the home of Mrs. Reavis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Thummell.

Red Cross Needs Your Dollars

W. D. McDonald of Quitman and Will Glover of Coin are among the out-of-town people in Maryville.

J. T. Hughes is ill at his apartments on Grand Avenue.

Leonard Houston of Burlington Junction and R. L. Peters of Skidmore are in Maryville today on business.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Miller of Kansas City visited Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Miller's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Rigney.

Misses Florence and Grace Swearingen of St. Joseph are visiting at the home of Miss Neva Key.

Miss Edna Meyers spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Swinford.

Mr. and Mrs. James Foster of Dearborn are spending several days here, the guests of friends.

Red Cross Needs Your Dollars

Miss Ersel Lett, who has been attending high school in Maryville, returned to her home in St. Joseph Saturday.

Red Cross Needs Your Dollars

Mr. and Mrs. Clint Mort, north of Maryville, announce the birth of a daughter on Wednesday, May 15.

Red Cross Needs Your Dollars

Society and Clubland

By MISS LUTA MOODY
Hanamo 42. Farmers 114.

Calendar.

TUESDAY—The Arts and Crafts Department of the Twentieth Century Club will hold their last meeting of the year, on Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. E. G. Orear. Election of officers will be held.

The Young Ladies Foreign Missionary Society of the First Methodist church will meet Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. L. B. Tracy, with Dr. Godby and Mrs. S. R. Beech assistant hostesses.

WEDNESDAY — The Wednesday Bridge Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Dale Bellows on Wednesday afternoon.

The Wednesday morning prayer circle will meet at the home of Mrs. R. S. Braniger.

THURSDAY—The W. C. T. U. will meet Thursday afternoon at 2:30 at the First Methodist church.

The B. Division of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Christian church will hold a market Thursday afternoon at the church.

Miss Vaughn to Wed.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Vaughn, north of Maryville, announce the approaching marriage of their daughter, Miss Florence and Clare Conley, to take place soon at the St. Patrick's Catholic church.

Sunday Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Drumm and son, Clarence, and daughters, Pearl and Ruby of Hamilton, Mo., and Daniel Drumm and daughter, Miss Epha and Miss Eleanor Drumm of Bedison, were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Tracy.

Dinner Party Near Ravenwood.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Collins and son, James and daughter, Katherine, Mrs. Margaret Grimes and daughter, Miss Katherine, were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Jackson of Ravenwood.

Meeting Postponed.

The Mary Lawrence Circle meeting which was to have been held tomorrow night at the home of Mrs. J. B. Robinson, has been postponed one week, when it will meet with Mrs. Edward Gray.

Spent Day in Graham.

Judge and Mrs. John M. Dawson, Mrs. Lafe Dawson and Miss Eva Dawson drove to Graham Sunday, where Judge Dawson delivered an address at the unfurling of the service flag of Hughes township. They were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Hilsabeck.

Former Club Member Entertains.

Mrs. C. S. Jackson and daughter, Mrs. Lewis DeHart of Columbus, Ohio, entertained the members of the Wednesday Bridge Club, of which Mrs. DeHart was a former member, this afternoon. A few other guests were also present. Dainty refreshments were served by the hostesses.

Bedison H. C.

The Bedison H. C. met Wednesday, May 15, with Mrs. R. D. Stewart. The afternoon was spent with Red Cross sewing, and a musical program on the victrola was very much enjoyed. Refreshments were served by the hostess assisted by Mrs. Dale Stewart. The next meeting will be in two weeks, with Mrs. Elmer Young.

Met With Mrs. Gray.

The Pioneer Willing Workers met with Mrs. Earl Gray Wednesday, May 8, with ten members present. They were: Mrs. Will Rhoades, Mrs. Westfall, Mrs. Charley Moore, Mrs. I. V. Moore, Mrs. John Lawson, Mrs. Ray Gay, Mrs. Claude Neville, Mrs. Perry Evans and Miss Anna Shanks. Two new members, Mrs. George Lawson and Mrs. Short Miller, were taken into the club. Following the business session the time was devoted to knitting. Dainty refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Miss Helen Shanks. The next meeting will be held on Wednesday, May 22, with Mrs. John Lawson.

Sunday Dinner Party.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Zwilling, 427 East Seventh street, entertained at dinner yesterday the following guests: Albert and Laura Glines, Miss Ella Zwilling, Mrs. Silas Mozingo, son, Ira, and daughters, Misses Ethel and Josie, Oakey and Hazel Belcher, and William E. Trueblood.

Mrs. Stephens Hostess.

The Bloomdale W. W. met with Mrs. John Stephens Thursday afternoon, May 16. Roll call was responded to with "May Gems." It was decided to give a donation to the Red Cross during the new drive. Twelve refugee baby quilts were turned in to the Pickering auxiliary. It was decided to accept the young girls of the district as members during the summer months, four being present at the meeting. Members present were: Mrs. Lett, Mrs. Byerrum, Mrs. George Wray, Mrs. Maxon, Mrs. Harvey, Mrs. Walter Runnels, Misses Mina and Lois Harvey, Lerita Lett, Maggie Shannon, Eldena Runnels and hostess. The next meeting will be on May 23. Roll call to be responded to with memorial verses.

Mission Circle Meeting.

The Mission Circle of the Christian church met Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. M. McDonald, with Mrs. Harry Hudson and Mrs. Vira Dawson assistant hostesses. Mrs. Frank Green led the meeting and the Bible study was given by Mrs. Dale Bellows. Papers were read as follows: "Medical Missionary," Mrs. Ed Egley; "The Gospel Message," Mrs. R. P. Moore; "Transformed Life," Mrs. Albert Mercer. Mrs. Wade Smith of McCook, Nebr., and Miss Ora McMillen were guests of the Circle. About thirty members were present. The next monthly meeting will be with Mrs. L. G. Crossan.

Mrs. Otela Starr Weds.

Announcement is made of the marriage of Mrs. Otela Starr and William J. Snyder of Brazil, Ind., in Los Angeles, Cal., Wednesday, April 17. Mrs. Snyder was connected with the Maryville Seminary Conservatory of Music for several years, and the following article taken from the Los Angeles Times will prove of interest to her many Maryville friends:

"The Church of the Angels was the scene yesterday noon of a wedding of much interest here as well as in eastern social and musical circles when Mrs. Otela Grace Starr and William J. Snyder, wealthy banker and mine owner of Brazil, Ind., were married by Rev. Harry Thompson. The bride was given in keeping by her brother, S. S. Scott of this city, and Fred Rossiter stood with the groom. The bride, who is a noted pianiste and who came here at the close of a twenty-eight week concert tour, lived in Los Angeles as a girl, but met and married her first husband, Wilbur Starr, while in the East at school. Since coming here the bride has devoted most of her time to appearing for Red Cross and charitable benefits. Mr. Snyder, who owns five coal mines, has given thousands of dollars to the Red Cross and has been one of the important figures in Indiana, working in the interest of the Liberty Loan. Mr. and Mrs. Snyder left last night for Riverside, where they will be domiciled at the Mission Inn for a time before going to Honolulu for several months. They will return to San Francisco, whence they go to their future home in Brazil. The bride has made her home for the past few years in Greencastle, Ind."

HOME GUARDS TO MEET TONIGHT

All members of the Home Guards are requested to meet this evening, as they will be assigned their places.

Wm. Job Will Run Again.

Representative William Job filed today as a candidate for re-election to represent this county in the general assembly at Jefferson City.

Left for Camp Johnston.

Robert Burris, Elmer Bagby and Sam Vulgamott left today for Camp Johnston, Jacksonville, Fla., where they will take special training in the mechanical department of the United States army.

Red Cross Needs Your Dollars

Mrs. N. C. Covey will leave about June 1 for Pueblo, Colo., where she will make her home. She will be accompanied by her mother and sister, Mrs. Isabelle Worst and Miss Alice Worst, who will spend the summer there.

Parnell Babe Dies.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Derks of Parnell died this morning after a short illness.

Mrs. Allender Visits Here.

Mrs. Lafe C. Allender of Atlantic, Iowa, arrived Saturday night from Centerville, Ia., where she attended the Iowa state meeting of the P. E. O. Society, and will spend the week here with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. W. M. Wallis, Sr., and Dr. Allender's parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. C. Allender.

Demonstration School Continues.

The first six grades of the Normal Demonstration School continue their regular work until June 21. New pupils will not be enrolled as in preceding years. After this week there will be no school in the afternoon, the morning session beginning as usual at nine o'clock. The junior high school closes its work this week.

To Address Tusculum College.

Dr. S. A. Coile will leave this week for Greenville, Tenn., where he will give an address at the hundredth anniversary of the Tusculum College, of which he is a graduate.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Pope and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Pope drove to Camp Funston today to visit Earl Pope, who is stationed there.

Red Cross Needs Your Dollars

Eyes Tested Free
Glasses Fitted
WE GUARANTEE SATISFACTION
H. L. Raines
JEWELER OPTICIAN
110 W. 3RD ST. JUST A STEP PAST MAIN
MARYVILLE, MO.

NO ADVANCE IN PRICE
CHILDREN
Should not be "dosed" for colds—apply "externally"—
"Keep a Little Body-Guard in Your Home"
VICK'S VAPORUB
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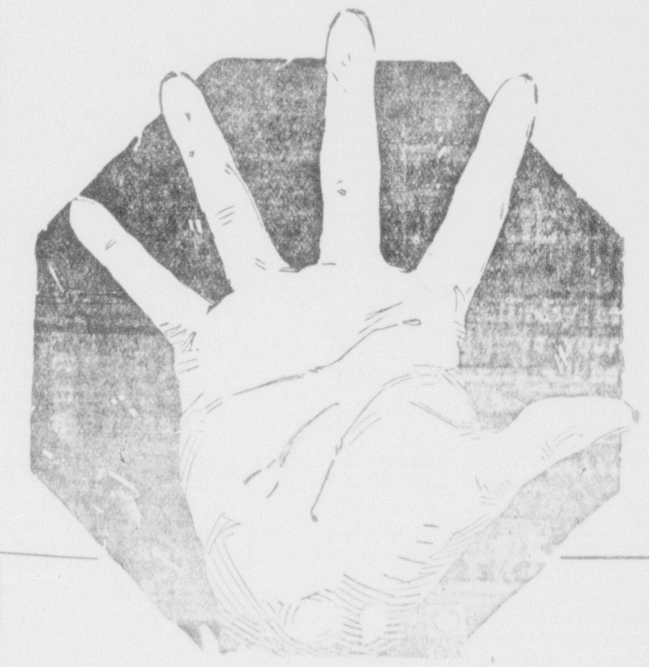

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At Your Cigar Dealer Today and Ask Him to Show You the New Basford TWINS

The medium priced cigar that is jammed full of smoking satisfaction.

Comes Packed Two in a Package.

—It Keeps Them Extra Fresh
—It Insures Their Cleanliness

TRY THEM TODAY
2 for 15 cents

AT ALL DEALERS

THIS WEAK, NERVOUS MOTHER

Tells How Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Restored Her Health.

Philadelphia, Pa.—"I was very weak, always tired, my back ached, and I felt sickly most of the time. I went to a doctor and he said I had nervous indigestion, which added to my weak condition kep me worrying most of the time—and he said if I could not stop that, I could not get well. I heard so much about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound my husband wanted me to try it. I took it for a week and felt a little better. I kept it up for three months, and I feel fine and can eat anything now without distress or nervousness."—Mrs. J. WORTHLINE, 2842 North Taylor St., Philadelphia Pa.

The majority of mothers nowadays overdo, there are so many demands upon their time and strength; the result is invariably a weakened, run-down, nervous condition with headaches, backache, irritability and depression—and soon more serious ailments develop. It is at such periods in life that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound will restore a normal healthy condition, as it did to Mrs. Worthline.

THOUSANDS of "first time" gardeners gathered large crops of garden experience, health, happiness and food last year. This year there will be more gardens and more produce grown than ever before. Surplus can be sold at good prices and the proceeds made to serve our Government either by investing in Thrift Stamps or a bank account at this Bank.

Genuinely interested in the welfare of our depositors, we are always pleased to assist our customers whether they are "first time" gardeners or the operators of the biggest farms in the community.

Nodaway Valley Bank

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CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

WANTS

THAT BRING RESULTS

RATES IN THIS COLUMN

Classified ads running three days or more will be inserted in this column for one-half cent per word each insertion. No ads taken for less than 25c for three days.

Ads running less than three days or interrupted insertions 1 cent per word each insertion.

Count the words; send money with the order. Ads should be in by twelve o'clock to insure insertion in this column same day.

These prices are for CASH with order. An extra charge of Five Cents will be made on all Want Ads when cash does not accompany the order.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE — A limited amount Johnson County White, Early Yellow Dent and White Cap seed corn. M. C. Thompson, Farmers phone 41-15. 3-tf

FOR SALE—Library table, rocking chairs, china closet, dining table and chairs, etc. Frank Stone, 1101 N. Mulberry. Farmers 25-15. 15-21*

FOR SALE—1918 Chevrolet touring car, good condition. Run short time, just long enough to be limbered up nicely. Fully equipped, including extra rim, casing and tube, dash light and tools. Call Sewell's Garage and have car demonstrated. 18-21

FOR SALE—Seed corn, a few bushels choice yellow 1916 crop. H. H. McClurg, Pickering, Mo. 18-21

FOR SALE—Extra good vegetable plants, cheap. Otto Frazee, Hanamo 4721. 18-21*

FOR SALE—16 head good stock hogs. Walter Dickey. Farmers phone 50-18. 20-23*

FOR SALE—2-year-old Jersey heifer with calf by side. Phone Farmers 27-17. 20-22*

FOR SALE—Tomato, cabbage and sweet potato plants. Call W. E. Johnson, Pickering. 18-21

MISCELLANEOUS

DON'T FAIL to investigate my Pre-Valued automobile insurance indemnity single or term policies. Maximum efficiency, on an equitable basis besides forty years' experience. At your service for tire, lightning, hail and tornado, as well as accident and plate glass. See me while you think about it. Chas. Hyslop. 29tf

THEY ALWAYS fight a good man. We sell boiled, pure linseed oil, that costs us in Kansas City $1.66 a gallon, 2% off 10 days, at $1.75. Southern white lead (same as we all sell) that costs us in St. Louis $11.00 per hundred, 2% off 10 days, at $13.00. Do you wonder at our having money?

"Of Course"

Holt for High Prices.

N. B. Don't forget the auction cultivator sale May 25, rain or shine. 15-21

LOST—Crank for Chalmers car. Finder return to Dr. Jesse Miller. 17-20*

LOST—Gold beauty pin with blue enamel, row of pearls in center. Return to Mrs. McKenzie at Townsend's 18-21

LOST—McKee auto lens and rim, overhead Wabash bridge. Return to Wadley's. 17-20*

EGOZELLE, standard bred and registered, blooded bay stallion, 16 hands, weight 1200 lbs, no better bred stallion anywhere. Sired by Egolyte by Onward, dam by Dictator. Egozelle's dams and granddams are by Norval, Onward, Robert McGregor, Almont and Alexander's Norman and on to the eleventh dam. Will stand at my farm, 3 miles west of Maryville, at $10 to insure a mare in foal. J. L. Scott, owner. Farmers phone. 20-22

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—6 room cottage, modern except heat, across street from Baptist church. Dr. K. C. Cummins. 1tf

WANTED

YOUNG Man wants work on farm. Call Hanamo phone 128 or Farmers 133-15. 20-22

WANTED—Lawn mowers to sharpen and repair. Armstrong's Foundry. 2tf

WANTED—Girl to help with house work from 8 to 3 o'clock, good wages. Hanamo 6718. 20-22

WANTED—Two light buggy wheels in good condition. Notify Democrat-Forum. 17-20*

WANTED—Cook at county farm, middle aged woman preferred; good wages, steady employment. Farmers 17-20. 17tf

WANTED—Two dining room girls at the New Linville Hotel. 17-20

Mrs. M. E. Farrar returned last Thursday from Omaha, where she has been visiting her daughter.

MARKET REPORTS

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Grain Market Future.

Kansas City, May 20.—CORN—May $1.28.

Kansas City Live Stock

Kansas City, May 20.—CATTLE — Receipts 11,000; steers, $12.00@$17.65; cows $8.00@$15.00.

HOGS—Receipts 10,000; top, $17.45; bulk, $17.20@$17.40.

Chicago Live Stock

Chicago, May 20.—CATTLE — Receipts, 15,000; market higher.

HOGS—Receipts, 36,000; market steady; top, $17.85.

St Joseph Live Stock

St. Joseph, May 20.—CATTLE—Receipts, 2,200; market strong.

HOGS—Receipts, 4,000; market is steady; top $17.30.

PRODUCE MARKET.

Eggs, per dozen	26c
Butter fat, per lb	40c
Hides, per lb	11c
Hens, per lb	20c
Ducks, per lb	12c
Geese, per lb	10c
Roosters, per lb	10c

ENJOYING RED CROSS GIFTS

Nodaway Boys at Funston Acknowledge Receipt of Victrola and Records Sent Them Recently

The following letter from John Mutz is in acknowledgment of a victrola and records sent the Nodaway county boys by the ladies of the Red Cross recently:

"Camp Funston, Kans.
May 15, 1918.

"Mrs. George P. Bellows:

"I should have written sooner to thank the ladies of the Maryville auxiliary of the Red Cross for the nice lot of good records they sent us. MANY THANKS. They came promptly, and were in first class shape. The boys play the victrola the first thing in the morning and the last thing at night. They sure seem to think it mighty fine, and I am sure I do to.

"The companies in this division are certainly being filled up fast. In the last three days we have received seventy-five men. Things look at present like we would be moved early in June.

"I am speaking for the entire company when I say we assuredly appreciate the victrola and the records. Again many thanks. I am a soldier of Nodaway County, U. S. A.

"Sergeant John G. Mutz.
"Co. L, 356th Regiment."

BANKERS TO BE HERE JUNE 22

Fifty Prominent Business Men of Central States Will Be Maryville's Guests For a Day

Visiting bankers, merchants and farmers to the number of fifty will visit Maryville on June 22, is the information contained in a letter received this morning by Frank Garrett, secretary of the Standard Poland-China Record Association, from J. H. McLeod, head of the animal husbandry department of Arkansas, who advises that the entire day will be spent here when they will visit beef and dairy herds and Poland-China breeding farms.

Mr. McLeod is in charge of the trip being made by prominent bankers, merchants and farmers of the middle states, the itinerary including Ft. Atkinson, Waukesha, Lane Mills and Madison, Wis., Mt. Vernon, Cedar Rapids, Waterloo, Ames, Whiting Iowa and Maryville, Mo.

Chas. D. Bellows, of the Shorthorn firm of Bellows Bros., will assist in entertaining the party when they arrive here and arrangements will be made to take them to the leading breeding farms near Maryville.

Red Cross Needs Your Dollars

Removed to Shenandoah.

Mrs. Henry Finn, who has been seriously ill at her apartments on Fifth and Buchanan streets, was removed Saturday evening to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Benefiel, of Shenandoah, Iowa.

Red Cross Needs Your Dollars

Band Practice on Tuesday Nights.

Those who have declared their intention of joining the new band which is forming at Maryville, and all those wishing to join are requested to meet at the Conservatory on Tuesday night of each week for practice. P. O. Landon will direct the band.

To the Men in the Next Call.

To assist the government in relieving the congested condition in the dental departments of the cantonments, we the dentists of Nodaway county agree to give our services free of charge. To avail yourself of this service you must apply for appointment.

The Dentists of Nodaway Co.

Red Cross Needs Your Dollars

CLASS STUDIES MEAT USES

Value of Various Cuts Will Be Explained by August Stapler—Work Organized Throughout County

A special point of interest this week in the government classes in cookery and the uses of wheat and fat substitutes being conducted in the basement of the Elks club will be talks by August Stapler, proprietor of the Stapler market, on meats. In his talks Mr. Stapler will tell the women the value of the various cuts, the relative food value of the different meats and how to purchase meat economically and wisely.

A class of eighty women has been organized at Skidmore under the direction of Miss Hildred Goslee and Miss Grace Foster. Every section of the county is now organized into these training schools and practically every home keeper is attending.

Miss Bertha Beal, chairman of the work in Nodaway county, Miss Anna Balnum, Miss Ora McMillen and Miss Laura Curfman, who have been giving the demonstrations, attended the national conference of Social Workers held last week in Kansas City, where every phase of war relief work was considered and was presented to the people by workers who have been in active touch with all lines.

The latest bulletin received by Miss Beal from the United States food administration, and which is to be followed by both dealers and consumers under penalty of violation, contained many items of particular interest to the housekeeper, some of which are as follows:

Meatless days will not be reinstated for the present if the new plans of the U. S. food administration for meat conservation are adhered to strictly by the American people. Instead of going back to meatless days, the administration asks that the amount served at each meal be reduced which will avoid the inconvenience which might arise by a return of the meatless day.

Auction sales of food should be discouraged. It is requested and strongly urged that no Red Cross, churches or war organizations solicit the baking of white breads, fancy cakes, pies or other products which involves the use of the particular food commodities which the administration is attempting to conserve. If such sales are held at all, none such things should be offered for sale as they violate the spirit of the food conservation measures of the food administration in the name of patriotic activity.

Potatoes in bread are especially urged. The use improves the quality, texture, flavoring and keeping quality; increases the volume and weight and is cheaper than the other official substitutes. The flavor of bread in which potato is used is agreeable to most people and is considered an improvement over bread in which no potato is used.

Red Cross Needs Your Dollars

PUPILS TO GIVE RECITAL

Program at Conservatory by Esther Suetterlin and Cleo Gray

The following program will be given tonight at 8 o'clock by Miss Esther Suetterlin and Miss Cleo Gray, certificate students at the Conservatory. Miss Ruth Hankins will assist.

Sonata No. 4 ..... (Mozart)
Esther Suetterlin
To a Wild Rose ..... (MacDowell)
Autumn ..... (MacDowell)
Cleo Gray
Tone Poem ..... (Parker)
Ruth Hankins
Louree ..... (Bach)
Il Desidero ..... (Cramer)
Esther Suetterlin
Sonatina Op. 49 No. 2 ..... (Beethoven)
Cleo Gray
Ase's Death ..... (Grieg)
Ruth Hankins
The Lotus Flower ..... (Leybach)
Esther Suetterlin
Polonaise in A ..... (Chopin)
Cleo Gray

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SOLDIER USES PIGEON TO SEND NEWS TO MOTHER.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Pittsburgh, Pa., May 20.—To notify his mother of his safe arrival at camp, "Bud" Nauman released a homing pigeon that he had carried with him. In four hours after the young soldier arrived at Fort Thomas, Covington, Ky. his mother here was notified.

Mrs. Bell Improving.

Mrs. Charles T. Bell, who underwent an operation Saturday at St. Francis hospital for appendicitis, is rapidly improving.

Attend Funeral Services.

Barney Dougan, Charles Barry, E. L. Ferritor, James Cummins, Will Farnan, Steve Donahue and George Donahue went to Oregon yesterday to attend the funeral services of James Brohan, who died Friday in St. Joseph from injuries received in a railway accident.

Red Cross Needs Your Dollars

THE NEGRO AND WAR

THE COLORED PEOPLE ARE RALLYING TO THE SERVICE

AIDING IN ALL WAR WORK

Thirty-six Per Cent of All Negroes Passed Physical Tests, Higher Average Than the Whites Can Show

The colored people are rallying to the call of patriotism all over the country. They are giving their sons, their money and their energies to the task of mobilizing the nation for the cause of democracy. For the negro holds his citizenship high. The friends of the United States are his friends. Its foes are his foes.

The United States draws no color line in the army or navy. It summons negroes to arms just as it does whites. More than 700,000 men of color registered and already 100,000 of these have been called to the training camps to fit themselves for service.

Thirty-six per cent of all the negroes examined were certified as physically fit for the national army, a ratio higher than the whites can show. In sixteen cantonments scattered throughout the northern and southern states the dusky troops are being prepared to meet the Hun.

In the old regular army of the prewar days were four colored regiments—the Twenty-fourth and Twenty-fifth Infantry and the Ninth and Tenth Cavalry. These troops proved their value in Cuba during the Spanish-American war, just as they did in Indian campaigns on the border. They are notably steady under fire, patient to endure hardship, cheerful and good-natured at all times. And they can fight.

Many Are In Service.

The war department has organized a division of colored troops known as the Ninety-second. To lead these men 750 colored officers were commissioned after a course of training at Fort Dodge, Iowa. Already a number of negro chaplains have been named to serve with these and more are soon to be appointed. Three regiments of artillery have been formed and a school for signal corps training has been organized. Howard University, an institution for colored people in Washington, D. C., will be kept open this summer to supply technical training to promising men of that race. At least 150 negroes are engaged in Y. M. C. A. work in the army. Some of these are now in France with the troops serving under General Pershing.

Back of the actual fighting army is the army of civilians at home. The negroes of the country have joined in every activity that evinces a spirit of patriotism. They show a whole-hearted desire to take their full share of the war load. They support the principles which President Wilson has defined for us and they assume cheerfully the burden laid upon the country as a whole.

The way that the colored citizen has taken hold of the Liberty Loan is encouraging. Five thousand negroes recently attended a patriotic meeting in a small North Carolina town and established a record for the quick purchase of war savings stamps.

Has Proved His Valor.

"This is good, but not at all surprising," comments the Charlotte (N. C.) Observer. "The southern negro has long ago proved his intense patriotism. In wars of the past he has shown that his valor is second to none, and in patriotic undertakings in civil life he has done his part when once that part has been made clear to him."

The Mosaic Temple, with headquarters in Arkansas, subscribed $25,000 to the first Liberty Loan and later invested an additional $50,000. Recently Secretary McAdoo telegraphed the Knights of Pythias of Florida, another colored order, his appreciation of their subscription of $25,000 for bonds. The Provident and Mutual Insurance Co. of Durham, N. C., put $5,000 of its spare funds in the loan.

No figures are available to show the total amount of bonds and war savings stamps purchased by the colored people. As a rule they have bought at the banks where they did business, and no record has been kept of sales made particularly to them. But to show how extensive these have been it may be mentioned that Amos Scott of Philadelphia has sold to date bonds to the value of more than $80,000 to negroes of that vicinity.—From bulletin published by Committee on Public Information.

Lieut. G. R. Cornelius to Camp Lee.

Lieut. G. R. Cornelius, who has been stationed at Camp Funston, Kan., left there Saturday, May 18, for Camp Lee, Va., according to a telegram received by Mrs. Cornelius, who is making her home with her father, John Murrin.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Jno. L. Gillett to Fred Carter, part L 1, B 33, part Wall, Barnard, $580.

Sarah E. May to Geo. P. Vance, L 9, B 30 Burl. Junct., $75.

Barnard Masonic cemetery to Andrew Sells et al L 100 and 101 in cemetery ,$60.

Hattie B. King et al to A. H. Jones, int. in NW SE and W½ NE SE 14, 63, 37, $4,800.

Jas. H. Sutton to C. T. Wiley and wife, part L 28, B 1, Elmo, $100.

Charles Middleton to J. A. Middleton and wife, L 7, B 32, Charles 2nd add, Maryville, $50.

White Cloud Lodge No. 92 to Mary J. Hall, N½, L 2, B 48, 1st add to Miriam cemetery, $112.50.

S. O. Longnecker to J. G. Link, int. in part SE NE and NE SE and W½ SE 20, NW SW 21, 64, 34, $10,340.

Floyd Fine et al to Hanna & Cummins, int in NE Fr. ¼, 31, 67, 35, $8,000.

C. E. Shackelford to Robert B. Black, N½ SW 22, 65, 37, $14,600.

Silas Kissinger to W. W. Kelley and wife, L 3, B 15, Charles 1st add Maryville, $150.

Jacob Laaf to W. L. Myers, L 5 and 6, B 16, Hopkins, $1,425.

Lizzie S. Casteel et al to Lela Watson L 4, Chamberlain's F. F. add Maryville, $2,500.

Anna M. Dougherty et al to A. J. Mauerer, E½ SW, 10, 62, 36, $10,000.

Ole Lemon et al to Florence W. Garrett, L 17, 18, 19 and 20, B 30, Burl. Junct., $450.

J. C. Fryer to James Hubbell, part NW 18, 64, 33, $18,000.

Mary Ford et al to J. W. Duck, Jr., N½, SW SW 4, 64, 33, $1,700.

Chas. E. Walker, Trustee, to Robert N. Barber, L 1, B 6, Ohio cemetery, $425.

City of Maryville to H. P. Childress N½ L 3, B 3, SW add Oak Hill cemetery, $12.50.

John H. Shay to George A. Henderson, L 9, 10, 11 and 12, B 3, Elmo, $1,225.

Loemma Shroyer to David N. Scott and wife, N½ L 15 and 16, B 1, Bariteau add Maryville, $1,000.

White Cloud Lodge No. 92, to Mary E. Ashford, S½ L 1, B 18, 1st add Miriam cemetery, $112.50.

Bethany News

Mrs. Frank Park Miller, Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Crawford and daughter, Ora, and Mrs. Addison Miller were St. Joe visitors Wednesday.

Kirk Russell and Reed Council shipped a load of hogs to St. Joe Tuesday.

The Wrestlers Auxiliary met Wednesday with twenty-eight members present and eighty-four hours work was accomplished. Miss Margaret Dietrich was a guest.

The Victory Workers auxiliary met Thursday with fifteen members present and completed sixty hours work. Misses Lela and Faye Hammond, Marie Ripley, Mrs. Lula Gray and daughter, Ada, were guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Alf Hayworth have received word of their son, Sam's safe arrival in France.

Red Cross Needs Your Dollars

MAYBE SOMETHING IN A NAME

Cognomens at Navy Recruiting Station Get Into Some Queer Jumbles — Some Recruits

The state furnished John Dry and Frank Dryer to the Navy Recruiting Station at St. Louis on the same day recently, and it appeared that the prohibitionists were going to have a perfect score, but at the last minute, St. Louis city, fighting against odds, furnished a recruit named August Biermann.

Names at the Recruiting Station get into some queer jumbles. Not long ago Arthur Warmann's application was followed by one signed by John Gunn. This was not so unusual but when the next two men was named Guy Flood and William Shore, and when Shore blocked Flood from getting his application in first, the recruiting officers decided that perhaps there was something in names after all. All four of the men passed the examination and were enrolled.

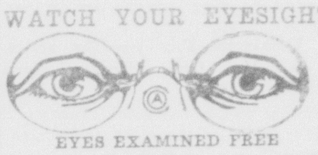
Jewel Fly, of Aurora, Mo., was enlisted as a second class seaman. "Why don't you try for the air service?" one of the officers asked Fly.

"Well," the applicant replied. "I've never flown anything but kites and I've never sailed anything but toy boats, but in case of accident in the navy I know good and well I can swim."

Spent Sunday in Tarkio.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Raines and three daughters, Mabel, Evelyn and Laura Margaret, and Mrs. D. E. McDonald, drove to Tarkio yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. Raines and family visited with Mrs. Raines' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emmert, and Mrs. McDonald visited her daughter, Mrs. J. S. Owens.

WATCH YOUR EYESIGHT



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Our expert graduate Optometrist will diagnose your eye troubles and tell you what you need. The service is free at

KUCHS BROTHERS
222 N. Main Street.

FARMERS ATTENTION!

It is now about time to breed for that second crop of pigs. Every patriotic farmer should raise two crops this year. If you need a boar and pure bred Poland-Chinas suit you, I can fit you out at from $50 up. Come and make your selection and I will deliver to you anywhere within 20 miles.

W. B. GEX, Graham, Mo.
Farmers phone 15-60.

Hameaulier

A Pure Bred Percheron Stallion.

A dark steel gray, weight 1,970, fine style and action. $15 to insure living colt to stand and suck. Will make the season of 1918 at the barn of J. R. Dowden, three-fourths mile east of Myrtle Tree.

Farmers F1-15.

Rags Wanted

We want a quantity of good clean old rags, free from lint and buttons. If you have any for sale, bring them in.

Democrat-Forum

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MARYVILLE, MISSOURI

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Best Terms Ever Offered—See Us.

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Seems Like the Skin Is on Fire.

There is a harrassing discomfort caused by Eczema that almost becomes a torture. The itching is almost unbearable, and the skin seems on fire with the burning irritation. A cure from local applications of salves and ointments is impossible, because such treatment can only allay the pain temporarily. The disease can only be reached by going down to its source.

The blood, the disease being caused by an infection which breaks out through the skin. That is why the most satisfactory treatment for all so-called skin diseases is S. S. S., for this remedy so thoroughly cleanses the blood that no impurities can remain. Get a bottle to-day at any drugstore, and you will see results from the right treatment. Write for expert medical advice, which you can get without cost, by addressing Medical Director, 161 Swift Laboratory, Atlanta, Ga.

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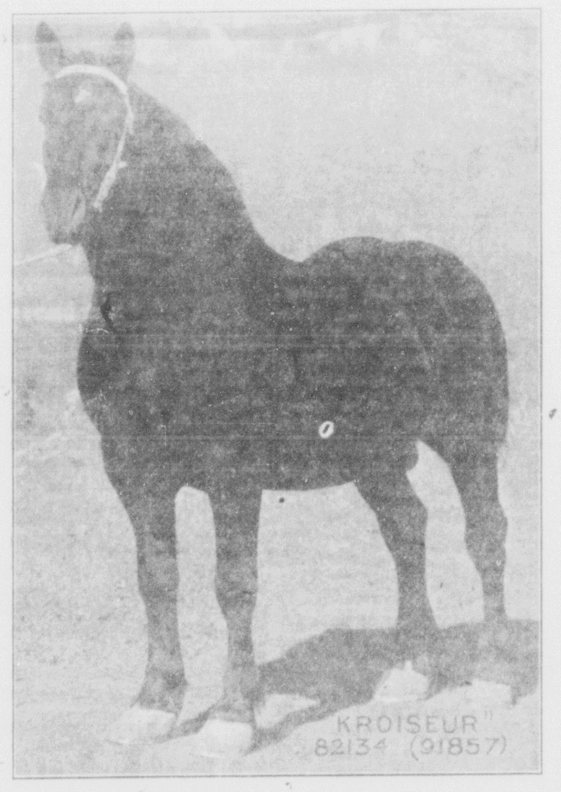

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From Photograph

KROISEUR is perhaps the best bred son of the $40,000.00 champion CARNOT. He not only has the most fashionable breeding, but is a real draft horse himself, weighing over 2200, with wonderful style and action. A beautiful black, having a fine coat of hair. That he is destined to be a great sire there is now no question.

He is now in regular service at our barn in South Maryville, Mo. We have other licensed horses and Shetland ponies also in service.

As so many inquiries are still being received for dates to PHENIX, I would say, he is in service of the State University Farm, under contract for a short time, hence is only available THERE at present; but will be "at home" later.

Thanking you all for your appreciation of him, I am,

Very respectfully yours,

Both Phones.

J. F. Roelofson